

*The Embassy of the United States of America  
4th Floor, Rogers House, Port Louis*

**AMBASSADOR'S SPECIAL SELF HELP FUND 2012  
PROJECT APPLICATION**

Projects should: (a) improve basic economic and social conditions at the grassroots level; (b) support high-impact, quick-implementation activities that benefit a large number of people; (c) involve a significant local contribution in cash, labor, or material, and be within the ability of the local community to operate and maintain; (d) be welcomed and supported by the local community; and whenever possible, contribute to income-generating or self-sustainable activities.

If your organization wishes to apply for funds to complete a project that meets these qualifications, please submit the completed form and all supporting documents to the Embassy. The application must be received at the Embassy no later than October 25, 2012. Please type your answers and feel free to attach any additional information/literature you have about your organization and/or project. Preference will be given to proposals for projects rather than proposals that benefit or equip the NGOs themselves.

Organization Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Year Established: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Members: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: (Mr./Mrs./Dr.) \_\_\_\_\_

Has this organization received previous Self Help grants? (circle one) Yes No Year(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Description of the Project (objectives, scope, permits required). Applicants may use additional sheets if necessary (limit 3): \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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Beneficiaries of the Project (who are they, how many, how will this project contribute to their development and self-sufficiency): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Amount Requested (see next page): \_\_\_\_\_ MRs/SRs

Value of your organization's contribution (see next page): \_\_\_\_\_ MRs/SRs

Project Start Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Completion Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Other projects/activities undertaken by your organization: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

## Financial Information

In each case, please list the exact items to be supplied by each contributor. You should include the quantity and estimated cost for each item. If possible attach pro-forma invoices from proposed suppliers. *Where appropriate, the Embassy will give preference to applications which use U.S.-made articles.* Cost estimates should not include Customs duties or other taxes, as Self Help purchases are exempt from these. Please use additional sheets as necessary to provide detailed information.

Details and amount of U.S. contribution:

Total requested: \_\_\_\_\_ MRs \_\_\_\_\_ SRs

Details and amount of your organization's contribution:

Total organizational contribution: \_\_\_\_\_ MRs \_\_\_\_\_ SRs

Details and amounts of other donor(s) contribution(s):

Total third-party contributions: \_\_\_\_\_ MRs \_\_\_\_\_ SRs

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date